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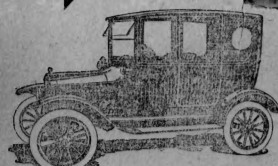
We have a gorgeous display of samples of Clothing. Any man that appreciates superior clothing might as well take his hat off to the sort of clothes and styles that we handle

Here is the proposition we make for the next 30 days. Ten per cent off our regular prices. As our samples are marked in plain figures, you will be in a position to know a real bargain

Spring Hats comprise every new shape and shade in young men's style, and styles to suit the older man as well as up-to-date

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We have now on hand a full line of Tires, Chains and other Accessories

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Your choice while they last \$1.00

C. P. Johnston

Clothier

Art. Fry, Manager

## Local Items

E. C. McClean spent the week end in Calgary.

John Osztz purchased last week a Dodge car from the local dealer Mr. C. V. Johnson.

The regular sewing meeting of the Oyen Red Cross Society will be held at the home of Mrs. R. M. Kennedy on Thursday, May 3rd.

For careful and up-to-date dental work see Dr. Taylor, the Dentist at Alask.

A. G. Flewelling, who has been spending the winter visiting friends in Quelp, Ont., returned last Friday morning.

The Oyen Liberal Association purpose holding a banquet here at the Alberta hotel on Wednesday evening, May 2nd. There will be several speakers present including Chas. Stewart M. L. A., and J. A. McColl.

Mr. A. Munson was a visitor in Youngtown over the week-end.

Dr. Lackner's office will be closed from April 11th to 14th owing to outside business. Office open next month as usual.

The Oyen Curling Club has decided to hold its first Annual Ball on the evening of the 24th. May in the Peterson Motor Company's garage.

P. W. Hart left last Thursday for Calgary on the Great Northern.

The business meeting of the Oyen branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society will be held in the Excel hall on Saturday, May 5th, at 3 p.m.

We regret to announce the death of the seventeen months old son of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Gallman. The child had been ill for over a week suffering from pneumonia but was progressing favorably until other complications set in and the little fellow passed away last Saturday night. A burial service was held in the Methodist church on Monday last conducted by the Rev. S. D. Webster.

L. G. Chapman visited relatives near Alask over Sunday. Mrs. John Harris and infant son, of Sibbald, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Vick Shunn.

James Booth was in town on Monday from Sibbald.

Mr. Faye, of Aberdeen, South Dakota, visited his granddaughter, Mrs. Y. Shunn, for a couple of days last week.

B. H. Dial is at present in Calgary.

Peterson Motor Co. Ltd, sold Ford cars to Messrs. T. Johnson, Ben Frey, John Leask, Peterson, Nelson, Rasmus Nelson and A. W. Howe, this week.

The town council will open the road east of the depot which will meet the main road running north and south.

We will soon be experiencing again the sultry days. Why not enjoy a half day holiday each week?

G. W. Smith, school inspector of Calgary, is in town on business relative to public school building.

Rev. D. Simpson, of Cereal, will conduct services next Sunday evening at the Methodist church.

We are now beginning to enjoy real spring weather.

## Ratepayers Meeting Friday, May 4th

School Building

A meeting of the ratepayers of the Oyen School District will be held in the Methodist Church on Friday evening, May 4th. It is important that every ratepayer should make a great effort to be present at this meeting because matters pertaining to the new school will be discussed and if possible some definite decision arrived at.

If Oyen is to hold its reputation for progressiveness, its citizens should make sure that one of its attractions should be that it possesses an up-to-date school one in which each branch of education could be efficiently taught and to which the farmers of this district could look to complete their children's education.

If the ratepayers are interested in this question—education, now is the time for them to show it, by attending this meeting and put forth their views and settle once and for all this vexing question, so Oyen may have good school accommodation by next fall.

## Weddings

ANDERSON—MORLEY

At the Methodist Parsonage, Oyen on Friday, April 20th, James H. Anderson, of Alask, in marriage to Edith Morley, both of Oyen. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. S. D. Webster.

STAMMERS—JONES

A quiet wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. R. Furtney of Elva, Man., on Monday, April 16th., when Miss Sarah M. Jones of Cameron, Man., and Mr. Arthur G. Stammers of Cappon, Alta., were united in marriage by the Rev. H. C. McNeil of Pierson, Manitoba.

After the ceremony and congratulations had been extended the happy couple, joined by the guests, partook from a richly laden table, after which Mr. and Mrs. Stammers left on the train for their home at Cappon Alberta. They carry with them the good wishes of their large circle of friends.

After a long wait we have gotten in a few Van Brunt seed drills, single disc. Anybody wishing to secure one, call at the John Deere Agency.

Wm. Johnson, a pioneer in the Alask district, was found dead in his shack by neighbors last Thursday night. Acute indigestion was the cause of the death.

S. B. Lawrence will leave tomorrow morning for Saskatoon and other points in Saskatchewan. His object in going is to prepare for the summer and fall offerings in the Massey-Harris Farm Implements Line.

Owing to the great demand for horses, the good serviceable kind, Gibson Brothers will receive another carload on next Saturday. If you are in need of extra power secure it while it may be secured.

St. Paul Mutual Hall and Cyclone Ins. Co. appointed R. C. McClean, as their local representative. Now is the time to see him regarding lowest rates in the strongest company.



Hats!  
Hats!!  
Hats??

We have just taken the out-put of a Factory

At least that is what we thought when we got them all opened.

We can HAT you all Ladies, Misses and Girls, Men and Boys and at all prices

Ask for one of our caps. The kind we give away. Don't forget us when you want Boots, Shoes, Shirts, Ties and anything you want to wear.

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Improved and unimproved  
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We also have a full line of watches, fobs, chains and a splendid assortment of ladies jewelry.

J. W. Crockett - Jeweler & Optician







## No Shirking.

A handshake and a slap on the back will not be a fitting welcome for the soldiers, who return to Oyen from the front. An organization that will provide welcome is a crying need. Does it not strike you in the same way!

### Oyen Soldier Praised By Returned Comrade

Sergt. Noel Davison of the P. P. C. L. L. at present in Alaska on furlough was beside Arthur Yorath when he received his wound, and in fact the two were comrades from the time they left here until they were separated in France. Sergt. Davison although slightly wounded at the second battle of Ypres and affected by shell shock is now in splendid health and will return shortly quite fit for further duty. He speaks of the reception the old men of the Pats gave to the drafts, in which he and Yorath were included. They were referred to as "puzzey wallowers" and noted by other scruffy names, but men of such spirit as Yorath were not long to remain under such a stigma and the battle of Ypres gave them a chance to show their mettle. Sergt. Davison says that Arthur was as good a soldier as the regiment contained.

### Mixed Pickles

Gordon Alexander expects to leave shortly for a short visit with Calgary friends.

The young ladies of the Hotel Delicatessen are desirous of showing their patriotism and are considering planting a half acre potatoes on the roof of their boarding house.

When the weather gets a little finer there will be an extensive casualty list among garages. Watch the former flivver drivers trying to manipulate their three speed cars.

Harrowing sights are witnessed everywhere throughout the country just now.

During this period of staple and economic life, the ban against bread pudding has been temporarily lifted.

There is a matrimonial boom in the United States due to a desire on the part of shirkers to escape the net of conscription. Should we not rather fall than shirkers?

**House Cleaning Time**  
A martial clatter of carpet beaters waking you up at dawn. Austere injunctions to bring home a bottle of furniture polish.

A piquant flavor of varnish in the soup.  
Regretfully parting with frayed ties.  
Eating off the kitchen table.

**Hofers of Peace**

The war was over. A party of soldiers who enlisted from Oyen marched to the Palace at Potsdam. The Kaiser, languid and worn, advanced to meet the commanding officer. With bowed head and trembling lips the War Lord whispered, "Tell me the worst." "Sir," replied the officer, his voice shaken with sob, "I must inform you that the Oyen School question is still unsettled."

### C. N. R. to Ballast 100 miles of This Line

From information secured at Calgary on Monday it is learned that the C. N. R. will this year ballast approximately 100 miles of the line between Saskatoon and Calgary.

The work will be carried on in places only on the system known as "patch ballast." While Calgary will be the shipping point for the men who will be used on this work, the Calgary superintendent will have charge of only a portion of the work, that part which extends from Calgary to Kindersley.

The gravel for the work will be taken from the Alliant pit and distribution will be made from several work trains. The pit tracks are already in, this gravel deposit having been used in former years. About five hundred men are to be employed at wages averaging \$2.50 a day.

### Kill Flies and Save Lives

Kill at once every fly you can find and burn the body.

Observers say that there are many reasons to believe there will be more flies this season than for a number of years.

The killing of just one fly now means there will be billions and trillions less next summer.

Clean up your own premises; see and insist that your neighbors do likewise.

Especially clean out of the way places, and every nook and cranny.

Flies will not go where there is nothing to eat, and their principal diet is too filthy to mention.

The fly is the tie that binds the unhealthy to the healthy.

The very presence of a fly is a signal and notification that a housekeeper is uncleanly and inefficient.

Do not wait until the insects begin to pester; anticipate the annoyance.

April, May and June are the best months to conduct an anti-fly campaign.

### OYEN METHODIST CHURCH

Next Sunday  
Preaching Service 7.30 p.m.  
Sunday School 2.30 p.m.  
Wavy Plain 11 a.m.  
Kirkwall 3.30 p.m.  
Rev. S. D. Webster, Pastor

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There are more exclusive features, more essential improvements that directly appeal to the musician and owner in the

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They have ever before embodied in one piano.

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Oyen Alberta



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OYEN, ALBERTA



## WELL DRILLING Farmers Take Notice

Owing to the high cost of material and labor, which is more than double of last year, I am compelled to raise the price on drilling wells 50 cents per foot. This goes into effect on May 1st. Anyone wishing to sign up contract for Drilling a well before May 1st, will be charged at the old rate.

I also carry a full line of Pumps and Windmills.

### JOHN OSZUST

Oyen, Alberta

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**WHY "Bates" Steel Mule**

Instead of a "Tractor"

One Man Does the Plowing  
One Man Does the Discing  
One Man Does the Drilling  
One Man Cultivates, Cares, Controls, Patches, etc.  
One Man Does the Harvesting  
Only Work  
This Gets the Feeling  
Burns Kerosene  
For Full Particulars  
**H. G. LOGAN,**

He sits right on the three plows, away from the heat of the engine, where he can reach both sides and does not touch the soil.  
He pulls a double disc; with a two section harrow behind in a good speed without jacking the ground.  
He sits on his grain drill where he can watch both drill and "Mule." He pulls two sections of harrow behind the drill.  
He sits on a two row cultivator and does an even, thorough job. The "Mule" guides easily, turns short and does not touch the soil.  
He sits on the binder where he can watch both binder and "Mule" pass through the harvest grain at a fast steady rate. The "Tractor" makes a path for the binder wheel when going through mud.  
He can pull large Double Discs, Medium Discs, Harrows, etc.  
One Man Harvests 40 Acres a Day

## The Acadia Elevator Co., Ltd.

Dealers in

Grain Coal Wood

We have always a good supply  
**Hard and Soft COAL**

**C. V. JOHNSON,**  
Manager

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Established 1872  
Capital Authorized \$5,000,000  
Capital Paid-up \$1,000,000  
Surplus \$3,500,000

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**OYEN BRANCH**  
G. J. Gibson, Manager

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### The Oyen Billiard Hall

We have one of the best and most up-to-date Billiard Halls in the west.

We carry at all times a large and well assorted stock of Tobaccos, Cigars, Cigarettes, Candies, etc., and serve all kinds of Soft drinks.

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Full floating rear axle. Springs—3-4 elliptic 43 in. long. Wheel Base, 114 inches

Timken Bearings throughout

Gears, Springs, Axles, made of Chrome-Vanadium Steel

Weight of car 2200 lbs.

Call for Demonstration on—  
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Paid-up Capital \$5,000,000 Reserve Fund \$4,500,000  
Total Assets over \$13,000,000

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## BANK OF TORONTO

B. E. KELLY, Oyen Branch Manager.

Our No. 550 Special

## Breeching Harness

Is Selling at \$52.50

The price is guaranteed only for a short while

This is the best bargain in the harness line on the market to day.

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The Harness Boot and Shoe Store  
OYEN, ALTA.

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We can give you the best  
Fresh Meat

Also the best Brands in  
Smoked Meats

Salt and Holland Herring,  
Crabs, Lobsters and Oysters

Smoked Meats from 25c to 38c per lb.

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Veterinary Surgeon  
Graduate of Ontario  
Veterinary U. Lee.  
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Money to loan at lowest rates  
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## THE MARKET

## Prices Paid at The Elevators

Wheat; No. 1 Northern	2.13
No. 2 "	2.10
No. 3 "	2.05
Flax	2.34
Oats	.55
Barley	.68

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CALGARY  
Private money to loan at eight  
per cent. No delays.  
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## Sacred Heart Church.

Regular services will be held  
First Sunday in each month  
at 10.30 a.m.

Rev. W. F. Bowlen.

J. Howard Alexander expects  
to remove into his new office by  
the end of this week.

Mrs. E. Hallman is very ill at  
the hospital in Rochester, Minn.

J. Naismith is in Kindersley.

Alberta, Saskatchewan  
and Manitoba

The above is the name of a new booklet just issued by the Department of Colonization and Development of the C. P. R. As its name implies, it is a description of these three great provinces, with particular reference to their agricultural resources. Also designed primarily for the intending settlers in C. P. R. lands, the booklet also contains a vast amount of general information of value to all who have thrown in their lot in Western Canada, or who may contemplate doing so. In addition to general descriptive matter the booklet contains tables of Western Canada's temperatures and precipitations an article on the grain trade, tables of elevator capacity and grain prices, average yields of crops for last 17 years, livestock statistics, an article on the value of irrigation, and information on such topics as "ready-made" farms, naturalization school system, agricultural education, railway facilities, taxation, system of land survey, etc. The booklet is handsomely illustrated with 84 photographs of scenes in Western Canada, and includes a railway and land map of Western Canada. Any person interested may obtain a copy without charge by writing to the Publicity Branch, C. P. R. Calgary, Alberta.

## Red Cross Society Supplies

The following is a list of supplies made by the women of the Oyen Red Cross Society for the month of March and sent to the head office at Calgary.

- 11 pairs of socks
- 9 Comfort bags
- 8 Personal property bags
- 67 Towels
- 52 Many tailed bandages
- 24 "T" bandages
- 32 Handkerchiefs
- 6 Hot water bottle bags
- 12 Ice bags
- 4 Pyjama suits
- 7 Surgical socks
- 2 Day shirts
- 32 Triangular bandages
- 22 Bed pan covers
- 1 Wash cloth

Henry Ford has waived all patent rights on his farm tractor and has cabled the specifications to England so Great Britain can manufacture tractors for use in the British Isles and in France. Mr. Ford hopes to have thousands of tractors ready for use in the U. S. and Canada by August 1st. His entire tractor plant, like his automobile factory, will be at the disposal of U. S. government.

Charles Snyder spent the week end in Youngstown.

The C. P. Johnston Clothiers started to move their stock into the new block opposite the office of the Oyen News.

J. Howard Alexander sold the S. E. 16-28-5 to R. H. Moore of Brandon and the S. 1/4-28-5 to Hugh Cameron of Ottawa.

Jack Pitman, C. A. S. C., of Calgary, returned this morning, after spending a few days at the A. Collinge home.

Gibson Brothers have shipped in another carload of excellent work horses.

The J. C. Desso barber shop will soon be completed. With out exception it will be the most modern consorial parlor on the Goose Lake Line.

A business meeting of Oyen rate payers will be held on May 4th, at the Methodist church. Time: Eight o'clock. Subject: "Our School."

Every local motorist would delight in being a member of a Motor Club, (Fords included). Why not organize a Club?

## The Alberta Livery Barn

Just Arrived a Car Load of  
Mares and Geldings

Weighing from 1250 to 1650 lbs.

Gibson Bros.

Oyen, Alta.

OilPull  
Means This →

FUEL at one-half the price means lower operating costs, smaller upkeep expenses and bigger profits.

Bear in mind that one OilPull is the only tractor that will successfully burn kerosene and cheaper oil fuels at all loads, under all conditions—all the time.

The OilPull, through deep plowing and thorough soil working, is increasing crops for a great many Dixie owners—in some cases doubling them. Earning kerosene, the OilPull adds this increase to your bank account at the lower possible cost.

A more dependable tractor than the OilPull can't be bought and you will find it able to take care of all your power jobs, whether draw-bar or belt. Two sizes, 15-30 and 30-60 horsepower.

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Next door to the Department

Fresh, Salted and Smoked Meats  
Best prices paid for Hides

C. E. BEARD

Better Buying  
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for the Farmer

This Company—farmer owned; farmer controlled—with its expert buying and marketing facilities is at your service. We will give you latest track quotations on your grain and live stock, handle same on consignment and secure for you highest possible market prices; or buy for you or your neighbors practically any commodity you wish for use on the farm such as Lumber, Posts, Machinery, Salt, Fruit, Wine, etc., at rock bottom prices.

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OF PUREST COD LIVER OIL

usually stops a stubborn cough or chest cold when ordinary remedies fail.

It helps strengthen the lungs and throat—adds energy to the blood—and gives the system the force to help resist disease.



Use **SCOTT'S**  
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### Britain Awake Long Ago

Every time a new war measure is announced by the British government some one queries as to "England is waking up." It is true we had an example of this non-alarmism in the case of the German submarine which has recruited over 5,000,000 men in its recruiting drive since the outbreak of the war. The German submarine has recruited over 5,000,000 men in its recruiting drive since the outbreak of the war. The German submarine has recruited over 5,000,000 men in its recruiting drive since the outbreak of the war.

A safe and sure medicine for a child troubled with worms is Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator.

### Hoped It Was Timely

Not long after a fire in a town near Boston some one said: "The Hub need a charity fair, by which \$20 was realized. This sum was given to the rector of the church in the town where the fire had occurred. Since he had taken a prominent part in the relief work. Their letter was as follows: "We have had a fair and made \$20. We are sending it to you. Please give it to the fire sufferers. Yours truly, etc. P.S.—We hope the suffering is not all over."—Buffalo News.

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Safety First and Always—USE EDDY'S SILENT "S's"



2 and 5 lb. Cans—  
10, 20, 50 and 100 lb. Bags.

### Outside Civilization's Rule

The End of the House of Hohenzollern Is Clearly in Sight

In the interests of the German state and people it is necessary that some other than the Hohenzollerns should be the recognized head. The Hohenzollerns have a dark record of crimes against the public peace, against the rights and the freedom of other states. Their plots are too deep, too far-reaching, too dangerous, too long, too numerous, to be recounted. It is not surprising that they are sought to place a Hohenzollern upon the throne of Spain. It is not surprising that they are sought to place a Hohenzollern upon the throne of Greece, Bulgaria and Rumania. The civilized and powerful nations of the world have other and more honorable occupations than watching forever the machinations of the Hohenzollerns and guarding themselves against deadly plots from that quarter. And the immeasurable, incalculable loss of human life, the last, imperial representative of that house demands that the doom decreed against Napoleon 102 years ago be entered against him. The Hohenzollerns are outside civilization's path.—From The New York Times

### Catarrh Cannot be Cured

With LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as there cannot be the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a disease, greatly advanced by the use of an internal remedy. It is a disease of the mucous membrane, caused by the blood on the mucous surface. It is a disease of the mucous surface, caused by the blood on the mucous surface. It is a disease of the mucous surface, caused by the blood on the mucous surface.

Write—You don't realize how miserably you are suffering. You can't pass a saloon without going in. You can't pass a saloon without going in. You can't pass a saloon without going in.

### Had Fourteen Fits

In One Afternoon

BUT IS MADE WELL AND STRONG BY DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

Mr. R. J. Thompson of Uabridge, Tel. The Story of His Terrible Trouble and Almost Fatal Kidney Cure.

"I had fourteen fits, one after another, in the space of one afternoon. I was so weak and so ill that I could not get up. I was so weak and so ill that I could not get up. I was so weak and so ill that I could not get up."

"The doctors said I could not live and if I did I would never be able to do anything again as I had chronic Bright's Disease. But, thank God, I am doing my own work once again by the use of Dodd's Kidney Pills."

### Crimes of Germany

Can Never Live Down Disgrace of Her Acts

The history of the war may be forgotten, the terrible stories told by the newspapers that investigated the crimes committed in Belgium may be forgotten, the stories that investigated the crimes committed in Belgium may be forgotten. The history of the war may be forgotten, the terrible stories told by the newspapers that investigated the crimes committed in Belgium may be forgotten.

And, while artists of Holland and the United States, as well as those of the entire continent are picturing the deeds committed in the name of Germany, Germany is trying to prevent a pictorial defence for the Kaiser. This is one phase of the war which Germany has no defence. And the punishment will continue long as the lives of those who penetrated the horrors of Germany.—From The Ottawa Free Press

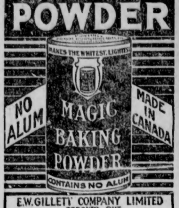


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## BAKING POWDER



With The C. P. R. In Early Days

Interesting Reminiscences of a Veteran Passenger Official

Mr. C. E. McPherson, the assistant passenger traffic manager of the C. P. R., with headquarters at Vancouver, who is at present in the city, has early recollections of the big system of the Canadian Pacific. Thirty years ago Mr. McPherson was a young man of sixteen, and he was at the time of the construction of the St. James and McGill streets in the building which was replaced by the Bank of Montreal. It then, well had replaced the old St. James street, which was a narrow street, and when "Mine Host" Hogan, of the famous club house near the Tattersall's, were picturesque and historic figures. The city had then about 25,000 of a population. The company was just getting on its feet. The head office for the time was in the old Imperial building, next to the Bank of Montreal. It then, well had replaced the old St. James street, which was a narrow street, and when "Mine Host" Hogan, of the famous club house near the Tattersall's, were picturesque and historic figures.

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## IMPURE BLOOD IN THE SPRING

The Passing of Winter Leaves People Weak and Depressed

As winter passes away it leaves most people feeling weak, depressed and easily tired. The body lacks that vital force and energy which pure blood is the material of. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are the best remedy for this condition. They give strength, tone up the stomach and weak digestion, clear the complexion of all eruptions and boils, and drive out rheumatism and other ailments.

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### To Raise Serbian Regiment

Recruiting Campaign Throughout the Dominion for Serbians

Something new in Canadian military circles will be witnessed at Camp Borden, the central training camp for New Brunswick, this summer when a new unit is announced to be raised successfully.

The military authorities have decided to open a recruiting campaign throughout the Dominion for Serbians. It is anticipated that about 1,000 to 1,500 men of this race will be recruited. The unit is to be named the "Serbian Regiment" and will be raised in the summer of 1917. As the recruits are signed on, they will be sent direct to Sudbury to receive their military training.

Although they will be recruited by the military authorities, the Serbians will not become members of the Canadian Expeditionary Force. They will be sent forward to aid their fellow countrymen in the Balkan front.

### Canada Has Own Hospital Ship

Canada now has her own hospital ship to take back discharged wounded soldiers. Colonel Foster, who is in charge of the ship, has been ordered to the United Kingdom, where he will be in charge of the ship. The ship will be named the "Hospital Ship" and will be raised in the summer of 1917.

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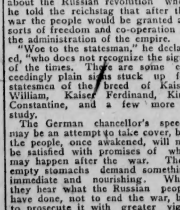
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- Rennie's Derby Stewed Turnip, greatest yielder ..... 4 cns. 20c. 1-1/2 lbs. 3c. 70c.
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- Mammoth White Intermediate Field Carrot, for stock ..... 4 cns. 45c. 1-1/2 lbs. 3c. 80c.
- Improved Red Carrot, for table or stock ..... 5c. 5c. 45c. 4 cns. 65c. 1c. \$2.00.
- Rennie's Ninety Day Tomato, best early ..... 10c. 1-1/2 cns. 20c. 50c.
- Improved Beetslate Tomato, enormous fruit ..... 10c. 1-1/2 cns. 20c. 50c.
- XXX Scarlet Oval Radish, tender, crisp ..... 10c. 20c. 4 cns. 15c.
- Hudson's Long Pod Butternut Bush Beans ..... 4 cns. 15c. 1-1/2 lbs. 3c. \$2.25.
- Workhorse Cabbage, hard heads, very large ..... 5c. 5c. 45c. 4 cns. 90c.
- XXX Snowball Cauliflower (highest grade) ..... 5c. 20c. 1-1/2 cns. \$1.00, or \$3.00.
- XXX Golden Self-blanching Celery, very fine ..... 5c. 20c. 1-1/2 cns. \$1.00, or \$3.00.
- Famous Golden Bantam Table Corn, early ..... 10c. 10c. 1b. 40c. 5c. \$1.90.
- Early Market Sweet Table Corn, big ears ..... 10c. 10c. 1b. 40c. 5c. \$1.90.
- London Long Green Cucumber, 5c. 5c. 15c. 4 cns. 40c. 1b. \$1.25.
- May King Lettuce, favorite butter head, 5c. 5c. 20c. 4 cns. 40c.
- Citron for Preserves, red seeded, great cropper ..... 5c. 5c. 1-1/2 cns. \$1.00, or \$3.00.
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- Yellow Dutch Onion Sets, select ..... 1b. 35c. 5c. \$1.70.
- Intermediate Parsnip, half long, fine sort, 5c. 5c. 15c. 4 cns. 35c.
- XXX Earliest Table Marrow Parsnips ..... 4 cns. 15c. 1b. 40c. 5c. \$1.90.
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- XXX Exhibition Mixture Parsnips, huge blooms ..... 5c. 25c. 1-1/2 cns. \$1.25.
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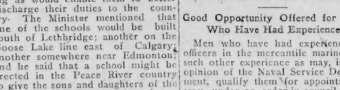
### Alberta Farm Schools

Alberta Government Is Boosting Agricultural Education

Hon. Duncan Marshall, Minister of Agriculture, is boosting the policy of the Alberta government with regard to agricultural education in the legislature. He is speaking on the vote of \$100,000 for schools of agriculture, and is proposing to build four additional schools, but only one is to be built in the province. He would be erected would depend upon the end of the war. But they would be to ready them and to give every young man and young woman in Alberta a chance of getting such an education and training as would enable them to better discharge their duties in the country. The Minister mentioned that the province would be able to give the sons and daughters of the pioneers of life north land a chance of getting an agricultural education.

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### Naval Bilets for Marines

Good Opportunity Offered for Men Who Have Had Experience

Men who have had experience as officers in the mercantile marine, or such other experience as may, in the opinion of the Naval Service Department, qualify them for appointment, may now, on an interim basis, be passed at Ottawa, be entered in the Royal Canadian Navy for the period of the war, and receive a commission and equivalent rank, pay and allowances of chief warrant officer.

Volunteers will be called for by the Naval Department for service in the Canadian coast patrol service, the Atlantic and Pacific. One hundred and fifty men are being trained in the present volunteer for positions as mechanics in the Imperial Air Service.

### The Russian Revolution

The First Visible Sign of the Democratization of All the World

One must go back at least to 1848, when all Europe was seething with revolt, to parallel the thrill that this world will bring to the hearts of men everywhere, and to the utmost ends of the earth, will be the penetration of the first visible sign of that democratization of all the world which has been the most important factor in the unparalleled bloodshed of this unspeakable world-war. The spectacle of a nation rising, to free itself from mediocrity, with a foreign leg in the door, must quicken every one's faith in humanity, as has been the vision of a Russia, rich, modernized, freed from its horrid past, and the tombs of its patriots, and from that Siberia which has spelled for all the world's suffering, a freedom—the last word in crushing, unrelenting domination of an aspiring, life-seeking people.

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**Mother's**  
**Time Worth**  
**?**

Surely it is worth a consideration! But does it get it? Every week in the year the entire house has to be swept and scrubbed—waxing, oiling, and so on—and good, hard work, too. And women who might employ would charge at least \$1.75 a day or \$10.00 in the course of a year.

### HARDWOOD FLOORS

In your home will stimulate this really beautiful and make your domestic surroundings bright and cheerful and an expenditure of \$1.00 would, in almost every case, pay for their installation. Think, also, of the improvement to your surroundings, and the added beauty and comfort of life. The added beauty and other employment around the home. Of course, there's one last thought—what?

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Manager.



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If you wish plans made up or an estimate of material taken off your plans our time is yours, and we are here for that purpose. Give us the chance to supply your needs.



### Hail Insurance Board

Editor of Oyen News,  
 Dear Sir—

The time is now at hand when the ratapattens of Golden Centre Municipality should consider the merits of municipal hail insurance. I am opposed to this form of insurance as it compels me to pay for someone else whether I am agreeable or not, and if I should be hauled out the only consolation municipal hail insurance gives me is \$1.50 an acre, the explanation being that hail losses have been so heavy that no more money can be paid. The Hail Insurance Board of Alberta comprises 20 municipalities whose combined assessment in 1916 amounted to \$125,000 of which R. M. Golden Centre was called on to pay \$10,330. Half of this went back as rebates and as payments for losses, and the balance \$8000 went to reimburse the hail sufferers in other municipalities. At least here is an instance where a rate payer can tell where his taxes went to. It appears that the pioneer settler of this province was anxious to co-operate with everybody that he did not figure out what the taxes were used for but when the hail came around some one else was to blame for the trouble, but the facts remained. You voted for these taxes yourself. Are you going to do it again?

O. M. Olson

Fairmeads, Alta.  
 April 21st 1917

### Benton News

We are pleased to hear of the marriage of Miss Edith Morley to Harry Anderson, both of this village, on last Friday. We wish them a long and happy married life.

teacher, Miss J. Ewing, is under the weather.

J. H. Fenner left for B. C.

A. Dedels of Myleen is loading a car of wheat with his new elevator here.

The Supt. of the C. N. R. was the guest of Ed. Shaw on last Monday.

G. F. Mann has hired a clerk from Saskatoon, for the summer.

Ed. Shaw has purchased a grand piano.

Stanley Gray, who was a shell inspector in a munition factory in Ohio, has returned and has taken up residence on his farm near Hinton. Mr. Gray and children accompanied him.

Bethel Barnes has returned from Calgary, where he has been taking up college work.

Arthur Owens has accepted a position in the Acheson Hardware store at Altnak.



when you look sadly over your fields of ruined grain, it will be too late to think of what a comfort a

### Hail Insurance Policy

In the Hartford Fire Insurance Co.

would have been. The time to think about such things is right now before the storm comes. Hartford Hail Insurance costs little and will add much to your peace of mind. May we talk to you about it?

ROY CLEMENS,

Agent for OYEN and District.

### CLASSIFIED ADS.

**STRAYED**—From 18-25, west of 4th, bay colt three years old. Two white hind feet and one white front foot. White stripe on face. Wall eyed, weight about 1000 lbs. Liberal reward for information leading to recovery. A. G. Holmes, Altnak, Sask.

**STRAYED**—From sec. 10-26-4 on Saturday April 7th, one bay mare pony heavy in foal also one bay mare and one grey mare. Halters on when last seen. A suitable reward will be given for information leading to recovery. W. A. Holmes, Oyen.

**STRAYED**—from N. 27-28-4 on red cow, horns turned down toward eyes. Buckskin cow, one horn turned in and the other up. Both are branded right 60 or 22 on left side. Reward for information leading to recovery of same. Matt Klassen, Fairmeads, Alberta

### FOR SALE

**FOR SALE**—A new 15 H.P. Olds gas engine, cast iron base, Hooper cooled, disc 2 in. diameter, 2000 ft. lift, all complete. Cost \$750 will sell for \$550 on time with a liberal discount for cash. Apply Beaver Lumber Co.

**SEED WHEAT**—for sale, 100 bushels, 1000 crop, cleaned ready for the drill. Apply to Ed. Bingenman, 7-26-2, Acadia Valley, Alberta.

**FOR SALE** Seed barley, guaranteed to be new from weeks. Very high market price. Also a Sharpes Cream Separator, price \$50.00 cash or time. W. Allcock, opposite the Police Barracks, Oyen.

**FOR SALE**—Livery Barn, electric light installed, every thing up-to-date, located at 885.20 a month, lease to expire November 6th, 1917. Apply R. V. Moore, Oyen.

**FORD CAR**—for sale, completely equipped, new blind tires. In excellent running condition. Apply Beaver Lumber Co.

**FLOW OUTLET**—for sale. One 15-20 Runley Old Pull engine in first-class shape. One six bottom Runley engine gang with subble and breaker bottoms complete. One two foot engine disc in and out three, also one 25 gallon tank and truck. Inquire of Harry McDonald, two miles

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**FOR SALE**—Two oxen and harness, one wagon and 16 in Cockshutt Sulky Plow. Terms half cash. Apply to Hugh McCormick, 32-27-3, Benton, Alta.

**FOR SALE**—An imported registered Percheron stallion, black, weight 2,000 lbs. Good stock getter. A bargain. Apply to J. W. Robinson, John Deere Agent.

**WANTED**—100 acres stubble ground Backsetting plowed in time for wheat. Will pay \$100 per acre. A. E. Todd, 6-28-3, Oyen, Alta.

**WANTED**—To buy 100 bushels of six pointed barley for seed. Apply to H. A. Howe, Excel, Alta.

**FOR SERVICE**—a registered Short Horn Bull, \$2 at time of service. Apply to B. Headford, 18-24-1, Oyen.

**FOR SALE**—a matched driving team. For terms, see D. L. O'Neal, Oyen.

The casualty list of the last few days is unusually large. The names of D. Cunningham, Fairmeads, and R. Regan, Sunnydale, appear in the list of the wounded.

Despite the price advances of other necessities, The Oyen News is only a dollar the year.

### Notice to Public and Stockmen

J. K. Spooner is not registered nor a graduate and has no permit to practice veterinary in this province.

J. A. McCord, sec.-treas. and registrar, Veterinary Association of Alberta. Edmonton, Alberta

### SPECIAL NOTICE

Having received notice that due to shortage of labor and material on May 1st 1917 all machinery will rise in price without fail about 10 per cent. All orders taken before that date will be delivered at the old price, same as last year. So order your Plows, Mowers, Rakes, Discs, and Binders before that date as it means a big saving to all farmers. If anything should happen to your crop that you will not need the machinery you have ordered just let me know and your order will be cancelled at once.

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### Carl Swenson,

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